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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the Final Office Action dated August 7, 2006 regarding the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

An Appendix including a copy of the reply mailed July 17, 2006, which included a certified copy of the priority document (European Patent Application No. 02425513.5) and a copy of the Acknowledgement Postcard for the July 17 reply, is attached following page 6 of this paper.